

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 10,418

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served April 20, 2007

Application of BOURNE ENTERPRISES, )  
LLC, for a Certificate of Authority )  
-- Irregular Route Operations )

Case No. AP-2006-107

This matter is before the Commission on applicant's request for an extension of time to comply with Commission Order No. 9905, served September 12, 2006.

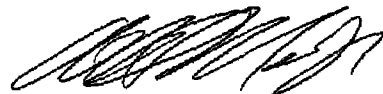
Order No. 9905 conditionally granted Certificate of Authority No. 1286 and stipulated that applicant would have the full 180 days available under Commission Regulation No. 66, or until March 12, 2007, to satisfy the conditions of the grant. On March 7, 2007, applicant requested a 20-day extension of the compliance deadline. Applicant subsequently satisfied the conditions of Order No. 9905 as of April 12, 2007.

Regulation No. 66 provides that: "The time for complying with the conditions of a grant of authority shall not be extended beyond 180 days from the date of the grant. A conditional grant of authority shall be void on the 181st day following the date of the grant if full compliance has not been achieved at that time." The Commission, however, may waive Regulation No. 66 in its discretion or for good cause shown under Rule No. 29.<sup>1</sup>

The Commission has approved the issuance of a certificate of authority in the past where, as here, applicant requested an extension of time within the 180-day period and satisfied the conditions of the grant within the same 30-day time frame afforded applicants whose applications stand denied because they do not request an extension of time before their 180 days has run but who timely request administrative reconsideration.<sup>2</sup> For good cause shown, Regulation No. 66 shall be waived.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that Certificate of Authority No. 1286 shall be issued to Bourne Enterprises, LLC, 1625 West Virginia Avenue, N.E., Washington, DC 20002.

BY DIRECTION OF THE COMMISSION; COMMISSIONERS YATES AND CHRISTIE:



William S. Morrow, Jr.  
Executive Director

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<sup>1</sup> In re City Sightseeing Buses LLC, No. AP-06-013, Order No. 10,305 at 3 (Mar. 6, 2007).

<sup>2</sup> See In re JBT Enterprise, LLC, t/a Access Mobility Transp., No. AP-05-111, Order No. 9755 (July 19, 2006) (explaining 30-day rationale).